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SUBJ: LEIPZIG SPRING FAIR: NUMERICAL CONTROL EQUIPMENT

1. THERE IS INTEREST AMONG VARIOUS WASHINGTON AGENCIES IN
ACQUIRING INFORMATION ON NUMERICAL MACHINE TOOLS AND EQUIP-
MENT THAT MAY BE EXHIBITED BY BLOC COUNTRIES AT THE LEIPZIG
FAIR. INFORMATION

ON BLOC AVAILABILITY AND CAPABILITY IS USEFUL FOR COCOM
LIST REVIEW PREPARATIONS NOW UNDER WAY.

IT WOULD

HELPFUL IF INFORMATION CAN BE SECURED ON ANY BLOC PRODUCED
NUMERICALLY CONTROLLED CONTINUOUS PATH CONTOURING SYSTEMS
AND MACHINE TOOLS. IN PARTICULAR IT WOULD BE HELPFUL IF
LITERATURE COULD BE SECURED (PREFERABLY IN THE FRENCH
LANGUAGE) ON HARDWIRED NUMERICAL CONTROL SYSTEMS (NC),
SOFTWIRED NUMERICAL CONTROL SYSTEMS (CNC), AND DIRECT
NUMERICAL CONTROL SYSTEMS (DNC). IN ADDITION, ANY INFORMA-
TION OR LITERATURE ON THREE OR MORE AXES CONTOURING
MACHINE TOOLS POSSESSING NC CAPABILITIES WOULD BE QUITE

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USEFUL.

2. INFORMATION COLLECTED SHOULD BE POUCHED AT THE EARLIEST
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